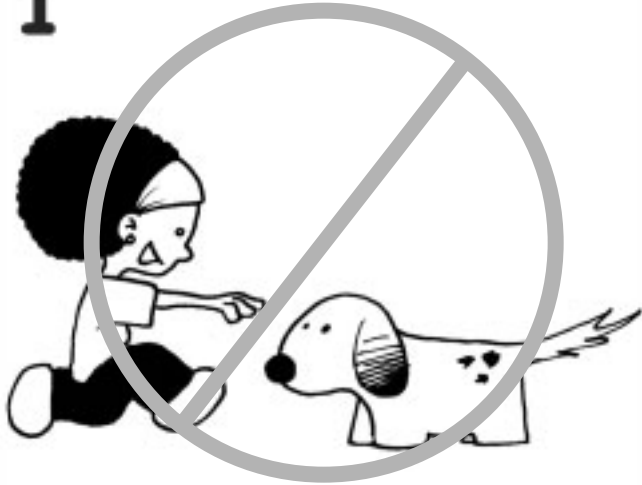


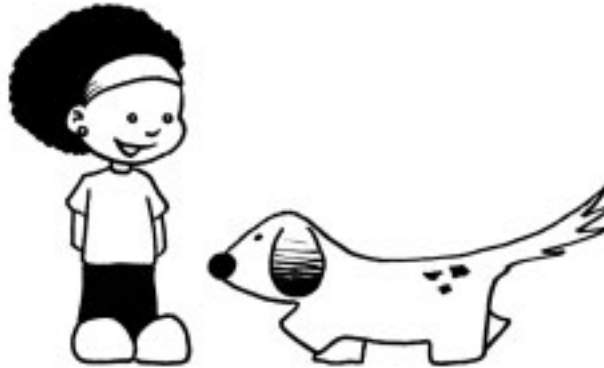
How To Meet A Dog

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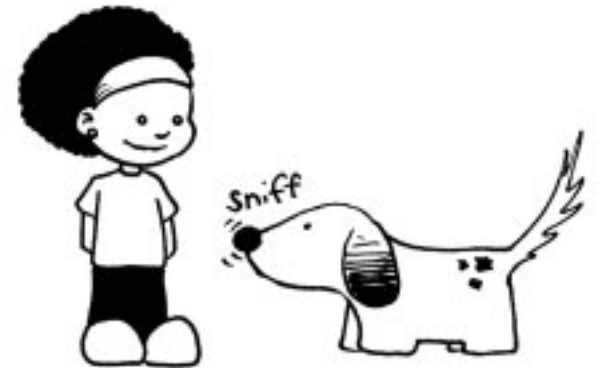
NEVER RUN UP to a stray dog and try to pet him.

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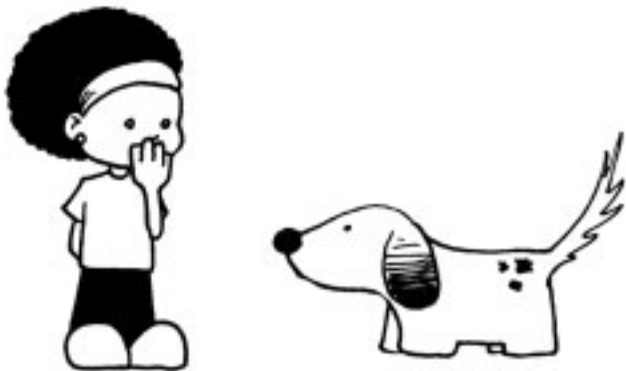
If a stray dog comes toward you—**STAND STILL**.

3



Let the dog sniff you. This is how he gets to know you.

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Move slowly and talk softly. Fast movements and loud voices scare a dog.

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It is **NOT** a good idea to pet a stray, even if he does seem friendly.

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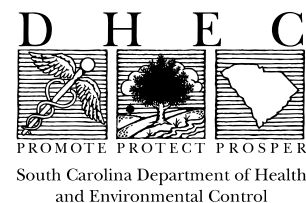


Remember . . . **NEVER RUN AWAY** from a dog, because he might chase you.

IF YOU ARE THREATENED OR ATTACKED BY A DOG

(DO'S AND DON'TS)

- **Do** remain calm.
- **Do** stand still until the dog moves away, or move slowly while continuing to face the dog.
- **Do** shield yourself with books, packages, open umbrella, or by extending your arm across your waist with fist clenched.
- **Do** give firm, simple commands, such as **"NO," "STAY," "DOWN."**
- If attacked, **do** drop to the ground and curl up into a ball—**"PLAY DEAD."**
- **Don't** turn your back and run away.
- **Don't** scream or make other loud or threatening noises.
- **Don't** look directly into the dog's eyes (look somewhere over its head).



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